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### CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Wanted to Die—Several Accidents—A Small Fire—Short Peach Crop—Big Shoe Deal.

#### Out on Bond

The ten persons arrested in North Todd, charged with attacking the home of H. Acre, near Claymont, have been released on bond, the bail being fixed at \$500 each.

#### Taken Suddenly Ill

Mrs. A. J. McDaniel, one of the oldest ladies in the city, was taken suddenly ill Saturday, while standing in her yard, and has since been in a very critical condition. Mrs. McDaniel was unconscious Sunday and the chances are against her recovery.

#### Don Over a Cat

While Edith Starling, son of Mr. J. M. Starling, was out riding on his bicycle Sunday the wheel struck a cat in front of Mr. E. H. Price's store on Liberty street. The young man was thrown from his wheel and considerably cut and bruised about the hands and arms.

#### The Male Hawk Away

About a week ago George Powell and wife were thrown from a buggy near Kirkmansville and both very seriously injured. They were driving a male and were made unconscious by the accident, and were not found for several hours. At last accounts they were not at all out of danger.

#### The Peach Crop Shown

The crop of peaches this year is and will be very short. Of the early varieties but few were on the trees in this section and the midsummer kinds are even scarcer and none have appeared on the market. The late varieties had better prospects, but many are dropping from the trees and those remaining appear to be knobby and full of worms. The reports from Delaware and Maryland also say, that the crop in those states is almost a total failure.

#### A Very Narrow Escape

Mr. W. E. Adcock, of Church Hill, was thrown out of his buggy one day last week, sustaining several very bad cuts and bruises. His horse became frightened at a tin sign suspended from a wire fence and wheeling in the road overturned the vehicle. Mr. Adcock was caught under the top of the buggy and narrowly escaped serious injury. He is now up and was able to be in the city a short while Saturday.

#### A Big Shoe Deal

Messrs. J. H. Anderson & Co. have bought out the entire shoe stock of Messrs. Richards & Co., valued at \$16,000, and the stock has been moved to the Anderson store, where it will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Richards & Co. will use their former shoe store for their furnishing goods, carpets and other goods. A special sale is being arranged by Mr. Anderson's manager, Mr. John H. Bell, Jr., and will be inaugurated as soon as Mr. Anderson returns from California on the 24th of the month. It will be the biggest sale in the shoe line at the same time bought the Bush stock several years ago.

#### She Wanted to Die

Henderson, Ky, July 18.—Lizzie Gish, aged eighteen, a beautiful young woman of this city, shot herself this evening with a thirty-eight-caliber revolver, the ball entering her right lung. There are small hopes of recovery. The act was committed on the L. & N. railroad crossing in sight of her lover, George Blandon, who, she claims, had killed her. He was on an engine attending to his duties. Miss Gish made an unsuccessful attempt on her life a year ago by taking a dose of poison. A note was found upon her person at night stating that she was a heartbroken and forsaken girl; that she hoped God would forgive her, and that her darling George would meet her in heaven. She also left directions for burial.

#### City Court Cullings

Wm. Garrett, visiting bawdy house, fined \$5 and costs.  
Squire Wallace, same, same.  
Howell McNary, same, (3 cases) fined \$15 and costs.  
Chas. Browder, same, fined \$5 and costs.  
Porter Dabney, same, same.  
Cecil Withers, using profane language, same.  
Will Morris, breach of peace, same.  
Tom Oxen, drunk, same.  
Hiram Killig, same.  
Chas. Crutchfield, same, same.  
All the parties are colored. Five of them were taken to the work house and the other arranged their fines.

### REUNION SERVICES.

Held in Honor of Rev. N. Lacy, deceased, at Pleasant Hill Church.

On July 15, 1895, the last reunion of four veteran ministers of the Baptist church, licensed to preach by the Pleasant Hill church between the years of 1838 and 1843, was held at the new Pleasant Hill church, at Ferguson's store, now Carl postoffice, fourteen miles northeast of Hopkinsville, near the crossing of the Green and Highland roads.

These preachers were Rev. Nicholas Lacy, of Madisonville; Rev. A. W. Mescham, of Gracely; Rev. Calvin Mescham, of Laytonville, and Rev. J. C. Spurlin, of Sinking Fork.

All four of them were present and made addresses and the occasion was one of much interest to the people of the neighborhood and the friends of the venerable ministers.

Rev. N. Lacy, one of the quartette, died on Jan. 1, 1891, and on last Thursday, the anniversary of the reunion of two years ago, another reunion of the survivors was held to pass eulogies upon the deceased brother.

Great preparations were made, but the day turned out to be rainy and unpleasant and only about 200 people were able to attend, although preparations had been made to feed a thousand or more. Those who braved the inclemency of the day were amply repaid. The exercises were most interesting throughout. In the forenoon Rev. A. W. Mescham, now in his 80th year, delivered a short address appropriate to the occasion, in which he gave a sketch of the life and useful career of the departed brother.

After an elegant dinner had been served for all most courteously by the good people of the vicinity, services were resumed in the church, and Rev. J. C. Spurlin delivered a funeral discourse eulogizing the virtues of the deceased.

The thanks of the old gentlemen to citizens people of the neighborhood for arranging for the reunion were formally and briefly tendered by Mr. Chas. M. Mescham, a son of one of the guests of the day, and the exercises came to an end with a general shaking of hands.

The following brief statement, prepared by Mr. Gus Robinson, was read before the reunion.

"Nicholas Lacy's parents were David and Jane Pyle Lacy. He was born two miles northwest of Pilot Rock, Ky., in 1816. He professed religion in August, 1837, was baptized in December of the same year by Eld. Robert C. Andersson. Was licensed to preach by Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in 1837. He was married to Miss Nancy Adeline Mescham, of Sanguin county, Illinois, Nov. 22, 1838. Was ordained to the ministry Sept. 14, 1840, by Elds. R. M. Rutherford, E. Vaughan and A. W. Mescham. In his long ministry he traveled, going and returning from marrying couples, 56,840 miles. Married 364 couples, the first being Robt. S. Lee and Prudence S. Fowler, aunt of the Forbes brothers, of Hopkinsville, Ky.; the last couple were E. M. South and Sophia Adams, on Dec. 28, 1896. This couple came to his house and he sat up in bed and visited them. His first wife was born Aug. 18, 1822, and died Apr. 17, 1876. Mr. Lacy was married a second time to Mrs. Georgia A. Proctor, a cousin to Mr. Governor Porter Knott. He has six children living, two sons and four daughters, all by his first marriage."

#### HIS TWENTY-FIFTH.

James Clark is Again a Father, Though 70 Years Old.

Paducah, Ky, July 16.—James Clark arose yesterday morning to the realization that for the twenty-fifth time he was a fond father. A still more wonderful thing than the size of James Clark's family is James Clark's age. He is 70 years old. This man of many olive branches lives at Grand Chain, in Pulaski County, Ill. He is a well-known farmer. Clark has three wives in the graveyard and one at home. His fourth better half presented him with a blue boy yesterday, making a grand total of 25, most of whom are still alive and hearty. Clark at three score and ten is hale and strong.

#### Hitt Got the Limit.

The Clarksville Leaf Chronicle says: "Train Robber Gus Heitt was indicted by the special grand jury about 11 o'clock, his trial began about 1:30, was continued at 12:20. The jury retired and returned a verdict in a few minutes, giving him fifteen years in the penitentiary, the limit of the law for robbery in this State, and he was sentenced by Judge Tyler by 12:45. Tons his being indicted, tried, convicted and sentenced occupied less than four hours of time. Heitt entered a plea of guilty and made a full confession. He is a very big young fellow, 26 years old, who deliberately chose train-robbing as his occupation. He was born in North Carolina. He was taken to the Nashville prison last week."

Company C, of Falmouth, was mustered out of service for its disreputable appearance at the encampment.

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#### Newly From From Here.

Bell, Ky, July 17.—A dance was given by the young men at Grange Hall last evening; music was furnished by Rives' String Band; a large crowd was in attendance and dancing was carried on till an early hour of the morning. The ladies who attended from a distance were: Misses Cecil Holloway and Tony Ware, of Hopkinsville; Elythe Bingham, Camille Gussie Hodges, Allensville; Julia Westbrock, West Point, Miss; Mai Horndon and Jessie Harris, Kenosha; Charlie Ralford, Pembroke, and many others from this place, Oak Grove and Longview. Mrs. T. F. Clardy was chaperon.

Mr. T. F. Clardy, a popular merchant will open up a store in Howell Hall next week, and we wish him much success.

Mr. C. D. Bell, who has been ill with a sore throat, we are glad to note is much improved.

Miss Cecil Holloway, of Hopkinsville, is the pleasant guest of Mrs. F. Clardy.

Mrs. J. E. Williams has returned from McKenzie, Tenn.

Most all the wheat has been threshed in this neighborhood, making a yield above the average. A good deal of it has been sold at prices ranging from 60 to 65 cents.

Miss Annie Buckner, of Clarksville, returned home today after a week's visit to Miss Frances Peay.

Miss Willie Mai Rives has gone to Nashville to take a course in music. She will be gone about two months.

Miss Haddox, of Allensville, is the charming guest of Mrs. Jessie O'Neal.

Miss Bertha Burton, who has been visiting Mrs. T. F. Clardy for some time, has gone to Julien to visit Miss Taylor Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Poay, of Clarksville, are visiting their parents here this week.

#### Judge Kelly's Aspirations.

J. E. Kelly, of Cadiz, will likely be a Democratic candidate for Lieutenant-Governor two years hence. He has received assurance of support from friends through Western Kentucky, and has signified his intention to become a candidate when the proper time comes, according to a dispatch from the Louisville Herald. He represented Trigg county in the Legislature back in the sixties or seventies, and has been County Judge four years. He was a candidate for Circuit Judge early in the spring, but withdrew before the convention. He is one of the leading lawyers of Western Kentucky and will make a strong race—Bowling Green Times.

#### Mrs. Gray O'Neil Taliaferro Dead.

Elkhart, Ky, July 16.—Mrs. F. M. Taliaferro died at the residence of Bernice Russell, six miles south of this city, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, after a protracted illness of fever. The deceased was a familiar personage in Todd county, having resided prominently a few months since in the case of F. M. Taliaferro and Will Day, when the latter lost his life, at Guthrie. Mrs. Taliaferro was the daughter of Superintendent of Schools Mae O'Brien, of this county.

## HANNA SHOOKED.

Old Man Who Wanted Garden Seed Shadowed Him for Days.

Mr. Hanna received a shock the other day from which it will take him a long time to recover. He occupies the headquarters of the republican national committee in the Glover building, and there receives the multitudes of office seekers who come to solicit his intervention. Many of them are not content with an interview there, but they stand around the corridors of the Arlington hotel, where he lives, besiege the door to the dining-room and break into his rooms whenever they can. Mr. Hanna cannot pass through the office of the hotel at any time of day or night without running amuck of a throng of people who seek his assistance. While he is good natured with those who call at his office, he does not like to have people come to his rooms, and hates still worse to be held up in the hall. He tells everybody that he will be at the Glover building at certain hours, and will be glad to see them there, but they won't go.

For several days Mr. Hanna was pursued at the senate chambers, at the hotel, and in the street cars by a harmless-looking old gentleman who would wait hours at a time for a chance to speak to him, but Mr. Hanna was suspicious and usually managed to elude him. When the old gentleman did get the advantage he stood him off, saying:

"My good man, I cannot talk to you here. You must come to my office at the Glover building, and then I will be glad to hear what you have to say."

But the old chap pleaded for "just one moment's conversation," he had "just one little request to make." Mr. Hanna is familiar with "little requests" and with people who want "just a moment's conversation," and has learned to dodge them. But he finally succeeded in persuading the old gentleman to go to the Glover building and take his turn with the rest. After waiting a couple of hours the patient applicant was admitted to Mr. Hanna's private room, and you can appreciate his astonishment when he discovered that all he wanted was a few garden seeds to send to his daughter, who lives out in Ohio. The paper which he had been so long trying to persuade Mr. Hanna to read was simply a memorandum containing her address and a list of the seeds that she would prefer.

The senator grasped the old gentleman by both hands and exclaimed: "My dear sir, is that all you want? Can't I do something more for you? Don't you want to be district agent for United States marshals somewhere in the south? You are not going to run off and leave me this way? I have had people up here ever since March 4 asking for foreign missions, and cabinet portfolios, and consulates, and judgeships, and every other office you can conceive of, but you are the first man to ask for garden seeds, and I will give you an order on the secretary of agriculture for all I have got."

Mr. Hanna dictated a note to the secretary, gave it to the old gentleman, shook hands with him cordially, and asked him to come again—to come often.—Washington Post.

## AMERICAN SHIPS.

Facts Given on the Authority of an Exchange.

Do you know, asks an exchange, that but one steel ship was ever built in America and that the one was the last full rigged ship ever built here and that her name was Dringo?

That almost all the best steamers in our merchant marine were built on the Delaware?

That the Josephine is the only iron schooner afloat that has the right to hail from an American port?

That the Clarence S. Dement, the May Flint and the Tillie E. Starbuck are the only iron ships afloat flying our flag?

That America has not 3,000 vessels going to sea and that all steamers, ships, larks, barkentines, barges, schooners and seagoing coal barges are included and that this includes the Atlantic, gulf and Pacific coasts?

That but 11 steamers fly the American flag from the American coast to Europe and that they are the St. Louis, the St. Paul, the New York, the Paris, the Pennsylvania, the Indiana, the Ohio, the Illinois, the Conemaugh, the Miami and the Matewan and that five of them were built in England?

## Approval of Chess.

It is a singular fact that while all other games of chance or skill have once time or another been denounced by the clergy of every faith, chess alone has received their approval, and among the best players of every land have been clergymen, priests and bishops.

## English Life Insurance.

From a Board of Trade Blue-Book just issued it appears that British life insurance offices own funds amounting to \$250,000,000, and that the insurances effected with them amount to about \$200,000,000, or considerably more than the total of the national debt.

## THE WATER BEETLE'S EYES.

Some Curious Things Told of Insects in a Recent Lecture.

In studying the eyes of insects, said Dr. E. G. Love, in a recent public lecture at the American Museum of Natural History, we find that those of the water beetle are among the most striking. When magnified it appears like part of the surface of a sphere, composed of many small hexagonal parts. This is the compound eye, and each of these hundreds of parts is a perfect eye in itself, the head of an inverted cone, the apex of which is connected by a nerve with the retina. The outer surface of this inverted crystalline cone is, as in all insects, the cornea, and the cone itself is set in a mass of black pigment, which absorbs all the light that enters indirectly, and, being refracted, does not go at once to the descending nerve. The nerve from each cone leads straight to the retina, on the other side of which is connected the large, single optic nerve, which transmits the sensation of light to the insect's brain. This is the structure of the compound eye. The water beetle has no eyes, simple eyes as well, which lie in the vitreous humor directly above the retina.

An interesting feature of the wings of these little creatures is the "powder" which they carry and which adheres to the fingers of their captives. It is made of a great number of scales from the wings themselves, but is by no means as brilliantly colored as it sometimes seems. Many insects with colored wings have absolutely colorless scales. The appearance of color in the latter is due solely to the light. There are 30,000 lines to the inch on each of these scales, so that their prismatic effect is easily understood.

Nature provides a series of hooks on the front edge of the hind wings of insects, each hook fitting into a corresponding hole in the edge of a front wing. The front and hind wings are thus fastened together on each side, while the insect is flying, and are unfastened at other times. This explains why you have occasionally noticed one of the species flying, apparently with two wings, and have seen him display four upon alighting. This arrangement is extremely convenient for such little creatures as the honey bee, which has to enter small holes, where a large expanse of wing would be useless.

## SMOKE AND HEALTH.

Pestilence Doesn't Thrive in Air Black from Many Chimneys.

Fogs are said to have a very beneficial effect on the health of districts where they are prevalent, as they are great purifiers of the atmosphere, and even the sulphur which makes the London fog so noxious and irritating is credited with effecting cure in an appreciable limitation of prevalent infectious diseases. Prof. Mau is now of the opinion that smoke may be turned into a hygienic ally, and, under some circumstances, be made capable of preserving the public health to a degree little imagined.

The dust collected from the smoke of some Liege furnaces, burning coal raised from the neighboring mines, produces, when dissolved in hydrochloric acid, a solution from which considerable quantities of arsenic and several other metallic salts may be precipitated. It is now suspected that this breathing of arsenic and other minerals in a finely-divided state may account for the singular immunity from epidemics enjoyed by certain industrial districts, such as that of St. Etienne, and medical authorities in those regions and elsewhere have tried to throw upon the subject what light they can. It is suggested that the ventilating effect of the numerous chimneys in iron making and other industrial centers has its due share in constantly driving off the vitiated air and replacing it by fresh quantities of pure air. It was noted that when pestilence was raging in the English town of Clifton, an elevated and apparently salubrious residential district, its inhabitants migrated to a low-lying and murky parish in the adjacent town of Bristol, where the air was black from the smoke of numerous chimneys, while the mortality was lower than that of the fashionable quarter overlooking it.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

## A Telegraphic Fact.

The telegraphic operators at Sydney claim to have established an Australian record on the night of the federal convention elections. No fewer than 1,065,670 words were received by transmitters in the Sydney office between 6:20 p. m. and 2:30 a. m., or at the rate of 133,196 words per hour. The staff of operators employed consisted of 120 men, engaged at 50 institutions.

## Not the Laughing Kine.

A French doctor claims that rheumatism is an infectious humor, but it conveys no laughter.—Denver Times-Sun.

—A woman enjoys herself best when she is making something out of old bread crust.—Washington Democrat.

## DON'T DO IT.

Beware of Getting Too Many Irons in the Fire.

Persistence is the only certain road to success. The man who takes up a business, no matter what it is, and pursues it and nothing else, almost invariably comes out ahead, while the man who is constantly changing from one thing to another is equally certain to fail.

This truism has received a fresh illustration in a town within less than a dozen miles of Pittsburgh.

About ten years ago two men started in the retail business on a small scale. They soon received a respectable trade.

For awhile both prospered. But at length one of them was seized with the get-rich-quick mania, and commenced dabbling in outside interests.

Oil was his hobby. He neglected his store and his business fell off. Finally, he sold out.

A short time ago he secured a situation in a city house.

The other man stuck to his store, leaving outside matters alone. He prospered.

He will soon move into a new building—one of the largest in the place—which he has erected at a cost of about \$8,000.

His future is secure. A glance over the list of successful grocers in Pittsburgh affords further illustration of the value of persistence.

They have not achieved prominence in a year or two. Success has not been thrust upon them.

They have won it by hard, persistent work and singleness of purpose.

They have let other things alone. Instead of aspiring to endless wealth, they have been content with the slow but certain gains of their legitimate calling.

"Too many irons in the fire" is the cause of many failures.

The retail business is so complicated as to demand undivided attention.

Nothing less will assure success. A country merchant not long ago called on a wholesaler and, in the course of the conversation that ensued, remarked: "I am thinking of going into an outside speculation."

"Don't do it," replied the wholesaler.

"It will involve you in difficulty, weaken your credit and may lead to disaster."

"You are making money in your present business. Let well enough alone."

This advice is worth heeding. It is sensible, and those who accept it will find that it will lead to success.—Mercantile Journal.

## CALLED IN A DREAM.

German Girl Called Over Seas by a Vision.

Caroline Seckruter, a young German woman, who has lived for three years with the family of Ferdinand Kromer, of Belthoover, suddenly started for her home in the old country a few days ago, under circumstances of an interesting character. When she rose on the morning of the day before she started, she claimed to have a presentiment that all was not well with her younger sister. She said that in the early hours of the morning she had been awakened by her sister's voice calling her, in a plaintive manner, and that when she sat up and gazed around her room she seemed to see a picture of her home in the outskirts of the city of Nuremberg, in Bavaria, and that on a couch, under a lattice window, which in her childhood days had been her favorite playing spot of herself and sister, she saw the sister lying with her arms stretched out toward her.

She told her friends, after telling them of the call she thought she heard, and the vision she had seen, that she was prepared to hear bad news from home. Inside of three hours she received a letter from her mother containing the information that her sister was fast dying of consumption. Caroline lost no time in preparing to start for home. She came to Pittsburgh that afternoon and purchased her passage, and left for New York the next day to sail on the Steamship Iser, of the North German Lloyd line, for Bremen.—Pittsburgh Times.

## Ruskin's Garden.

Mr. Ruskin spends several hours a day gardening in a little green cultivated place in the middle of a nut wood, which in spring is full of daffodils and cherry-blossoms. Here the professor admits no other toil but his own, and is as proud of his garden as of the great books which bear his name on their title-page.

## A Vain Saying.

There is a saying which reads: "Censure lies the head that wears a crown." But if the saying is to be believed, there are some crowned heads which can lie with the greatest of ease.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

## THIS AND THAT.

—Stevenson's unfinished novel, "St. Ives," will be completed by Mr. Quinlan Couch.

—Vienna university has made King Oscar of Sweden an honorary doctor of philosophy.

—Prince de Sagan, the French Minister of Paris, has had a stroke of paralysis. He is 64 years of age.

—Tasso's pictures illustrating the life of Christ have been reproduced in black and white sets on Japan paper, selling for \$1,000.

—Pope Leo XIII. has published a long Latin poem composed recently, in which he praises frugality and points out the evils of intemperance.

—Sixty persons have been arrested in Moscow and will be deported to Siberia for trying to organize a general strike in the mills of the Moscow district.

—Naples is in consternation because the blood of San Gennaro has failed to liquefy this year. The failure of the miracle is a portent of misfortune.

—London's lord mayor is entitled to wear an earl's robe whenever a crowned head visits the city. The gown now preparing for the commemorative will cost \$500.

—No Dunmow fiddler will be awarded this year to married couples that abstain from quarreling, owing to the death of Sir Robert Marsh, who revived the old custom.

—Polish Catholic priests, incited by the example of the Russian orthodox priests living in their country, are starting a movement to obtain permission for priests to marry.

—Mrs. Felicia Hemans, who discovered the stern and rock-bound coast of Plymouth, and who is the only writer of imaginative literature produced by Liverpool, is to have a memorial there if the money can be raised.

## PEOPLE WHO WEAR SHOES.

Will Do Well to Read and Heed the Following Rules.

Buyers should never go in the morning for shoes and shoes. If it is remembered that activity and endurance enlarge the feet, and at the latter part of the day they are at their maximum size, there would not be so many complaints of shoes being tight, which at the time of buying seem perfectly comfortable. Shoes, like gloves, wear longer and better if kept for sometime before using; and it is wise to keep several pairs for a few weeks before wearing them, and several pairs to alternate with. Never wear a shoe too small or that does not fit when you first put it on, for misery more complete than a shoe that pinches does not exist. A shoe should be washed every now and then with a wet rag and oiled over night. In this case a fresh application of blacking restores the brilliancy of the leather. A wet shoe must never be placed too near the fire, for it will become hard and stiff. The way to save a shoe that is wet from an early stage is to wipe it off and then apply an oil or cream by means of a piece of soft flannel or cloth. Wear old shoes in wet weather. Rubbers always spoil a new shoe. Patent leathers should never be handled until warmed, and they can be made smooth and bright by cream rubbed in by a cloth, or by the palm of the hand, which is better. If shoes are washed once a month with warm water and rubbed with oil, they will be soft and impervious to water. Those who suffer from aching feet should occasionally sponge the inside of the shoes with a moderately strong solution of ammonia. The shoes must be perfectly dry before they are put on. The way to clean kid boots which will not bear blacking is to roll a strip of flannel four inches wide and a good yard long into a snail filled with a few drops of olive oil and good black ink. Rub the shoes all over, and, taking a fresh flannel, rub the shoe until it is dry. By this means the painful approach of purple and the dreaded white cracks will be delayed. A fine polish, and one that will make the leather last longer than the ordinary blacking does, will be obtained if the following mixture is used: Two ounces of ivory black, three ounces of molasses and one pint of vinegar. Mix them together, and, having also stirred five drachms of permanganate of potash in a quart of water, work all the ingredients together. Tan shoes should be washed once a week with saddle soap before applying polish, which can be made by mixing one ounce of muriatic acid, half ounce of alum, half ounce of gum arabic and half ounce of spirit of lavender into one-half pint of sour milk. Apply with a flannel and polish with a piece of fresh flannel.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## A Descendant of Virgil.

Charles Marion, who lately died in Paris, claimed descent from the poet Virgil. Regularly every New Year's day all persons in Mantua, the poet's native town, who bore the name of Marion, the poet's patronymic, sent greeting to Marion, whom they regarded as first and greatest of them all.

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—TUESDAY, JULY 20, 1897—

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

CLERK COURT OF APPEALS,  
 ISAM J. SHACKELFORD,  
 of Daviess.

CIRCUIT JUDGE,  
 THOMAS P. COOK,  
 of Calhoun.

COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY,  
 W. R. HOWELL,  
 of Christian.

No Senator yet in Tennessee.

At a caucus, the home of candi-  
 date Hindman, cast only 40 votes, out  
 of more than 3,000 polled, for the  
 Palmer ticket last year.

The New York World, whose influ-  
 ence was given to McKinley last  
 year, now characterizes the McKinley  
 tariff bill about to become a law as  
 the "Crime of '97."

And so Spain and Japan have  
 formed an alliance to bluff the United  
 States on the Cuban and Hawaiian  
 questions? Now let Uncle Sam put  
 a chip on each shoulder and go on  
 about his business.

Dr. Weissitt has published a card  
 warning all rumors that he would re-  
 sign. He says he has no such idea  
 and he does not intend to resign.  
 The Doctor evidently knows a good  
 thing when he is drawing the salary.

The newest English dictionary  
 contains 83,591 words, and yet there  
 are not enough words in the language  
 for a loyal Democrat to express his  
 contempt for the HasBeens who let  
 off their gas in Louisville last week.

A Brooklyn tobaccoist named  
 Driscoll, an enthusiastic admirer of  
 Mr. Bryan, has become the owner of  
 a teaching suit worn by the Demo-  
 cratic leader at one of the summer re-  
 ssorts. It was raffled off by the keeper  
 at a church fair at 25 cents a chance.

Sara Shackelford, the handsome  
 young Democratic nominee for clerk  
 of the court of appeals, will be mar-  
 ried in September to Miss Mari Am-  
 nor Myofflin, a grand-daughter of a  
 former governor of Kentucky. She  
 lives in Minnesota but was educated  
 at Lexington, Ky.

Missouri, Tennessee, Alabama,  
 Mississippi and Georgia each lynched  
 a rape fiend last week. It is for-  
 tunate for Tol Stou that the crime  
 for which he is now in the peniten-  
 tiary was not committed in one of  
 these States, where mobs do not  
 forget their work when female virtue  
 is to be protected.

The school teachers also will feel  
 the heavy pressure of Republicanism  
 in Kentucky. In spite of all their ef-  
 forts to reduce the assessors' lists of  
 school children, the per capita will  
 not be much above \$2 this year. As  
 we have before remarked, Republican  
 administrations come high—but there  
 is no lesson like experience.

The Owensboro Messenger says  
 the rope cure for the rape evil seems  
 not to cure. Lynching is an effective  
 cure for the case under treatment.  
 The same evil may appear elsewhere  
 but never with the same offender,  
 after a mob has done its work well.  
 Furthermore, a great decrease in this  
 most heinous of all crimes is shown  
 by recent statistics.

The fusion ticket—Democrat and  
 Populists—in Henderson county will  
 go under the router on the ballots to  
 be used in the November election.  
 This was agreed to by the Populists  
 and Democrats a few days ago and a  
 convention of both parties had been  
 called to meet in the city of Hender-  
 son on July 24th for the purpose of  
 endorsing the fusion.

Prof. Andree started for the North  
 Pole from an island off the northern  
 coast of Norway last Sunday in a bal-  
 loon constructed for the purpose.  
 When he disappeared from view he  
 was traveling at the rate of twenty-  
 miles an hour. This has been a  
 great hobby with Andree for several  
 years, and he is confident he can pass  
 over the Pole and live to report his  
 mission.

The Kentuckian has supported Hon.  
 Jas. A. McKim in all his aspirations  
 for twenty years. Its editor has been  
 his personal friend since the future  
 statesman explained to him the mys-  
 teries of the alphabet "endure in the  
 war." He has set great store by him  
 through all his career, rejoicing in his  
 successes and sorrowing in his defeats.  
 Delighting always to honor him, we  
 would have sworn by "Quintus Jim"  
 Democracy, but over his own signa-  
 ture he has renounced allegiance to  
 the party that made him distin-  
 guished. We cannot follow him into  
 the camp of the enemy, nor engage  
 in a guerilla warfare between the  
 lines. We must close ranks without  
 him, but we cannot see him shot as  
 a common deserter. We love him  
 still and, disloyal as he is, we are  
 willing to smuggle him through the  
 lines and into some place of safety  
 and obscurity. And if he ever wants  
 to come back, we will give him our  
 own uniform and swear that it was  
 his head and not his heart that was  
 wrong. Somebody has led our old  
 friend astray, but I down in the bot-  
 tom of his heart we believe he still  
 loves the principles of his early man-  
 hood, for which his eloquent voice has  
 so often pleaded. Goodbye, old  
 friend, goodbye.

The Louisville Post predicts Shack-  
 elford's election by 25,000 majority,  
 but since the last change in the moon  
 it has again aligned itself with the  
 scattering vote.

## HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with  
 urine and let it stand twenty-four  
 hours, or as a sediment or settling indi-  
 cates a diseased condition of the  
 kidneys. When urine stains linen it  
 is positive evidence of kidney trouble.  
 Too frequent desire to urinate or pain  
 in the back, is also convincing proof  
 that the kidneys and bladder are out  
 of order.

## WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so  
 often expressed that Dr. Kilner's  
 Swamp-Root, the great kidney  
 remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving  
 pain in the back, kidneys, liver, blad-  
 der and every part of the urinary  
 passages. It corrects inability to  
 hold urine and scalding pain in pass-  
 ing it, or bad effects following use of  
 liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes  
 that unpleasant necessity of being  
 compelled to get up many times dur-  
 ing the night to urinate. The mild  
 and extraordinary effects of Swamp-  
 Root is soon realized. It stands the  
 highest for its wonderful cures of the  
 most distressing cases. If you used  
 a medicine you should have the best.  
 Sold by druggists price fifty cents  
 and pamphlet, both sent free by mail,  
 mention the *Hopkinsville Kentuckian*.  
 Dr. Kilner & Co., Binghamton,  
 N. Y. The proprietors of this paper  
 guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

The indications are that the efforts  
 of the gamblers to "bear" the wheat  
 market and get the present crop out  
 of the hands of the producers at two-  
 thirds of its value will not be attended  
 with as much success as the same  
 trick was last year. In spite of the  
 attempt to force the price down, the  
 market closed last week two or three  
 cents stronger than it opened. The  
 local price is now 92 cents and many  
 farmers are holding their crops for 75  
 cents.

The Conference Committee has set-  
 tled all differences on the Tariff bill  
 and it will become a law in time for  
 Congress to adjourn next Saturday.  
 Reed carried his point and the Sen-  
 ate's increased duty on sugar was  
 knocked out. The tariff robbers are  
 already trembling in their boots over  
 the effect their law for the benefit of  
 the trusts is expected to have upon  
 the public mind when its iniquities  
 are fully understood.

The Democratic county committee  
 will meet on Tuesday 20 to nominate  
 county candidates. All talk of a  
 partial ticket seems to have been  
 stopped. Nothing short of a full  
 ticket, from end to end, will satisfy  
 the party and people.

8100 Howard 8100.

The readers of this paper will be  
 pleased to learn that there is at least  
 one dreaded disease that science has  
 been able to cure in all its stages, and  
 that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure  
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 ing the foundation of the disease, and  
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 ture in doing its work. The prop-  
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 could not stand or move without great  
 suffering. My appetite was very poor and  
 when I did eat anything it was shortly  
 afterwards vomited out without giving me  
 any relief. I could not rest at night and felt lame  
 and tired all day. I became nervous and had  
 no energy whatever. My life seemed  
 gloomy and hopeless. My husband ad-  
 vised me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, as  
 he had been taking it with great bene-  
 fit. I began taking it and the first bot-  
 tle did me a great deal of good. I con-  
 tinued with it regularly and have now  
 almost fully regained my natural vigor  
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The rumors of fabulous finds of  
 gold in Alaska should be taken with  
 several grains of salt. When the in-  
 creased output begins to reduce the  
 present premium of 100 per cent. on  
 gold, it will be time enough to go wild  
 over these glowing reports.

T. V. Powderly has received his re-  
 ward for supporting McKinley last  
 year. He has just been appointed to  
 a fat office, while thousands of his  
 followers who were deluded into vot-  
 ing against Bryan are now striking  
 for living wages.

Ellen Peck, the most successful fe-  
 male crook in this country, now 70  
 years old, is under arrest again in  
 New York for swindling a doctor out  
 of \$10,000, by borrowing money on  
 false representations.

A great Pan-American Exposition  
 has been put on foot, to be held at  
 Niagara Falls May 1, 1899. Chauncey  
 M. Depew and other New Yorkers are  
 among the promoters.

## Obituary.

[For the KENTUCKIAN.]

Died, of consumption, near Weav-  
 er's Store, Tenn., July 1st, 1897, Mrs.  
 Minnie Dannie Taylor, (nee Mosely),  
 wife of T. J. Taylor.

"Dannie," (as she was familiarly  
 known), was born Oct. 23, 1876, being  
 twenty years, eight months and nine  
 days old at the time of her death.  
 She was married to Thomas J. Tay-  
 lor Dec. 23, 1894, of which union was  
 born one child, a boy, which by  
 death's relentless grasp is deprived  
 of a mother's care. May Heaven's  
 sweet counsel lead him safely over  
 life's tempestuous sea.

Sister Taylor professed faith in  
 Christ and united with the M. E.  
 Church, South, at Lafayette, Ky., in  
 1890, of which church she remained  
 a consistent member until death.

She was taken with a gripe about  
 the first of January, last, from which  
 she never recovered, but rapidly de-  
 clined in health, and in spite of in-  
 tense desire of loved friends and rela-  
 tives and earnest efforts of faithful  
 physicians to have it otherwise, she  
 fell asleep.

In disposition, Dannie was bright  
 and of genial spirit, always ready  
 with a smile or cheerful word. The  
 writer, who has known her from her  
 girlhood, does not call to mind hav-  
 ing ever seen her in what we would  
 call a spell of humor, but always look-  
 ing to the bright side of things, she  
 was calculated to "scatter sunshine  
 all along the way."

She recognized the rapid approach  
 of death, and expressed herself as  
 ready and resigned to her Heavenly  
 Master's will.

She leaves a husband bereft, a  
 darling babe a fund mother, four sis-  
 ters, four brothers, (she being the  
 youngest of nine children), and a  
 host of friends and relatives to mourn  
 her departure.

Dear ones, weep not for her, for  
 while she may not come back to you  
 you can, in a little while, go to her.  
 She has and now very far, only in  
 this veil of death intercourse between  
 her and you. Just there, in that ad-  
 joining room, where sickness and sor-  
 row never enter, and where separa-  
 tion never takes place, and where the  
 sun of righteousness and of love  
 never ceases shining—there she  
 awaits you.

A. C. DORRIS,  
 Lafayette, Ky., July 6, 97.

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Womens Oxfords Black 1.00, 75c.

Womens Oxfords Black 1.25, 85c.

Womens Oxfords Black, 1.30, 1.00.

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### ROUGH ON THE LADIES.

A New Jersey Preacher Says the Angels Are All Men.

New Brunswick, N. J., July 15.—Traditions of nearly twenty centuries were ruthlessly brushed aside this morning to the intense astonishment of the feminine portion of the congregation of the Livingston avenue Baptist church, when the Rev. Thomas Needham, an evangelist, in the course of his sermon said:

"There are no female angels." A decided sensation was created by the boldness of this statement, and there was an expression of incredulity on the faces of many of his auditors who had been brought up with the belief that there were both male and female angels.

"They are all men, and will be a mighty army," said he. He also said that angels acted as the messengers of the Almighty. In qualifying this broad statement, the preacher said by way of explanation that the souls of the redeemed were a higher order of beings than angels. Another sensation was created when the Rev. Mr. Needham said that no minister ought to be allowed to take charge of a church until he was married.

"A man after being graduated should go out in the mission field and acquire his experience and then marry and take a charge," said Mr. Needham. "A minister who is not married will be embarrassed in his pastoral relations and can not deal with many questions that confront him like a married man."

### Origin of the Devil.

Chillicothe, Ohio, July 10, 1897.—What is the history of the expression, "Crow, Chapman, Crow"? J. A. A gentleman named Chapman was the Democratic candidate for some important office in Indiana (Governor, Congressman or some State position) along with the Rev. Mr. Needham. He was also an admirer and breeder of fine poultry. To the surprise and delight of his Democratic friends, he bent his whole attention to the editor of the Democratic paper had a fine engraving of one of Chapman's favorite breed of game cocks made, and placed it over the column of election returns, and below it the legend, "Crow, Chapman, Crow."

And this is why the power is the Democratic emblem.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Alaska fever continues in San Francisco and Seattle with unabated force. The regular steamers cannot begin to take the crowds that want to go. Old timers are warning prospectors to wait until spring.

### Democratic Committee's Call.

At a meeting of Democratic County Committee July 5th the various candidates for nomination were present and all requested the committee to nominate the candidates. Pursuant thereto the committee will meet Monday Aug. 2nd at 10 a. m. in the city court room. Candidates for nomination will please appear before committee at that hour; the nominations will be made afterward in executive session.

ISAAC GARROTT, Chairman.

GEO. E. GART, Secretary.

Large Corn Crib Burned.

Guthrie, July 17.—A large corn crib on one of the J. E. Washington's places was burned last night. Several hundred dollars worth of corn and farming implements were destroyed. There was no insurance.

It is supposed to have been of incendiary origin, as several similar fires have happened lately in the neighborhood.

Eugene V. Debs will go to work in the Fairmont district in West Virginia to-day to induce the miners to strike. The representatives of the strikers are making headway in West Virginia, and the strike sentiment is slowly growing.

## Scott's Emulsion

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The trip surpasses any other traveling public, and affords many delightful diversions. Grand and beautiful scenery, visiting numerous air-crafting, ocean view, age, palatial hotel entertainment and a visit to the capital, if desired.

The low rate of \$10.00 per day has been secured at the Hygeia and Chamberslain Hotels. Every attention and courtesy will be extended to ladies without exception. Choice of routes returning, between Richmond and Clifton Forge, will be given, enabling those who desire to visit Lynchburg. Sleeping car rates will be \$1.00 for berth, Louisville to Old Point, to be occupied by one or two persons, and application for sleeping car space should be made at once to W. A. Wilson, S. P. A., Hopkinsville, Ky. For further particulars address as above or call on T. E. Barley.

### MATRIMONIAL.

J. T. Flora, of Trigg county, passed through this neighborhood Sunday enroute to Mrs. Polly Ann Ray's, where his intended bride Mrs. Susan Parker awaited him. They went to Murray Monday and were made husband and wife. We congratulate Mr. Flora in securing such a companion.—Kirksey Correspondent of Murray Ledger.

Mrs. L. L. Hankly, of Cereulean Springs, Ky., and Mr. E. Bowell, of Birmingham, Ky., eloped to Metropolis, Ill., July 16, where they were married. The bride has been three times married, is a grandmother, and is 35 years of age. The groom has been married twice and is 60 years of age.

Miss Mary Davis, of Louisville, who went to San Francisco with the Christian Endeavor crowd, made the acquaintance of Geo. C. King, a young man who had known her as a child, and they concluded to get married on short notice. He father was tired and disappointed the match, but the daughter married just the same.

### COLORED.

Miss Collins—James H. Moss and Ruby Ella Collins were married in the city last Thursday night by Rev. Chester Gray.

Dr. Cooper, a Quaker doctor, who married Miss Dixie Fowles, a local belle, while selling remedies at Union City, Tenn., a few weeks ago, turned out to be a bigamist and is in jail at Mayfield. Another wife appeared and had him arrested.

### QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE

## Pembroke Deposit Bank

(INCORPORATED.)

At the close of business June 30, 1897

In Pembroke, Ky.,  
RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts, less loans to Directors	\$ 60,000.00
Loans to Officers	1,000.00
Overdrafts Unsecured	1,182.17
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,000.00
Banking House and Lot	1,000.00
Merchandise	15,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	8,000.00
Currency	2,501.50
Other Items (Carried as Cash)	1,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,000.00
Total	\$81,482.50

### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, in cash	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	7,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,000.00
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	4,982.13
Due State Banks and Bankers	391.20
Capital Dividends	150.00
Undivided this year	1,000.00
Set aside to pay taxes	500.00
Total	\$81,482.50

State of Kentucky, county of Christian, ss. W. W. Garrison, President of Pembroke Deposit Bank, a Bank located and doing business in the town of Pembroke, in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing Report of the said Bank at the close of business on the 30th day of June 1897, is the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, bearing date 28th day of June 1897, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by W. W. Garrison, President, the 6th day of June 1897.  
Eustice A. Hall, Not. Pub. of C. K. V.  
V. A. Garrison, Director.  
J. H. Williams, Director.  
Eustice A. Hall, Director.

### Bids For Asylum Groceries.

Bids will be received on 4 tierces of lard, kettle rendered; 6 bbls. of granulated sugar; 4 bbls. of N. O. Molasses; 10 bags coffee; 10 boxes Pretty soap; 10 boxes Greenwich lye, to be furnished to Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane, Hopkinsville, Ky. Prices to be on goods laid down at Hopkinsville. All goods to be first class in quality. Goods will be selected from the lowest and best bids on each article. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Bids must be handed in at First National Bank by 10 o'clock a. m. July 23. Also 1,000 lbs. bacon sides.

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## HINTS FOR BEGINNERS.

How One Can Make a Sensible Start with Bee-keeping.

The first step is to get a good text book on bee-keeping and study it thoroughly. Then get another one and study that. There are a number of books probably added to the list. If a bee-keepers' convention should be held near by, attend that; if not, visit neighboring bee-keepers and talk over with them—perhaps this would be better than the ordinary bee conventions, though both are good. After this, if it is the intention to make bee-keeping a special business, much time may be saved by spending at least one season with some professional apiarist. It cannot be done, the best way will be to begin at home with a few colonies, and allow the bees and the knowledge to keep pace one with the other.

The beginner is quite likely to make some mistakes, and it is better to make them with a small number of colonies. Perhaps ten colonies would be best. But to begin with, many recommend buying cheap colonies of blacks in box hives, transferring them to movable frames and Italianizing them. This is a very dangerous job, requiring some nerve, patience and skill, and seems scarcely the proper work for a beginner. It is better to Italianize there is also a risk of losing queens, particularly if the work is done by an inexperienced person. Still, if one has plenty of determination and little money this course may be advisable. It is much more pleasant, however, for the beginner to begin with Italian bees in movable frames. In the spring is the best time to buy bees, and it is better to get them as near home as possible, as express charges are very heavy and long journeys are likely to injure the colonies. I would advise even a beginner to buy black bees in box hives near home and then transfer and Italianize, rather than have ships shipped many hundreds of miles. The cost of beginning in bee-keeping might be estimated something as follows:

The literature.....\$1.00  
A smoker and veil......50  
An outfit of bees......50  
Five colonies......50  
Total.....\$3.50

It might be well for the beginner to produce extracted honey at first, in which case an extractor would be needed. This costs about ten dollars, but no sections would be needed, nor so much foundation, as in the case of sections. There would be needed some vessels in which to store the honey. The one thing that the beginner needs to avoid in producing extracted honey is to keep the bees too close, taking away too much honey and leaving the bees short of stores. No honey should be taken from the brood nest. A rock on the outside of the hive is likely to split in dividing colonies too early, too frequently or too late. To allow each colony to swarm once, it will, and when time for swarming, follow a safe plan for the beginner to follow—Colman's Rural World.

## PORTABLE NESTS.

Four or Five of Them Are Sufficient for a Small Place.

Where the flock is small, consisting of about a dozen for each nest, five nests are sufficient, and there may be a saving of space by arranging the nests as in the illustration. A box two feet square and one foot deep will hold four nests, as shown by the dotted lines.

## PORTABLE NEST.

and the entrances may be arranged in any manner preferred (see illustration). If more nests are required, one or more can be added by placing them on the box, as may be seen in the illustration. By this arrangement the nests can be moved or placed anywhere in the house, or carried outside to be cleaned (as it is not necessary to nail the top to the sides), and being very compact, there is quite a saving of space compared with the usual method of fastening continuous nests to the sides of the house, while by separating the nests from the roots the nests will be cleaner, and the roosts more easily arranged for the convenience of the fowls. The entrances to two of the nests are not seen, they being at the rear or other side.—Farm and Fireside.

## A Writer at Work.

A rapid writer can do 30 words in one minute. To do this, he must draw his pen through the space of a row, 104 feet. In 40 minutes his pen travels a full mile, and in five and a half hours a full day's work. A man on an average 16 curves or turns of the pen for each word written. Writing at the rate of 30 words per minute, he must make eight curves to each second; in an hour, 28,800; in five hours, 144,000, and in 40 hours, 5,760,000. In five hours each day, he makes not less than 43,200,000 curves and turns of the pen.

## Italian Scent.

Brown an onion and a garlic in one half spoonful of oil, drop in seasonings with salt and pepper to suit taste. Add one-quarter of a can of strained tomatoes, and simmer for 45 minutes. Mix lightly just before serving.—N. Y. Ledger.

Miss Hungerford—I think he is a man of good sense.

Miss Wallingford—47 is far further than you. To say he is a man of good sense.

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## BICYCLES AND HARD TIMES.

The Wheel Held Responsible for the Business Depression.

There are persons in the world who firmly believe the bicycle to be a potent factor in the present hard times. Here is the way one of them attempts to support his belief. In Rochester, N. Y., a city of 100,000 inhabitants, there are more than 30,000 wheels, as is shown by the official figures, every wheel being registered according to a city ordinance, at the office of the city clerk.

"Now," says the man, "30,000 wheels in a city of 100,000, mean one wheel to every six men, women, boys, girls and babies. Bought, as so many of them are, on the installment plan, they must cost on the average \$50 apiece. At that rate the money invested in wheels in Rochester amounts to \$2,100,000. Now it is not probable that any of the purchasers of these wheels can any more money because they have them, or have increased their money income. In that city \$2,100,000 less for the necessities and comforts of life, clothing, shoes and food and the like; and this, of course, makes the sales of other goods and services much less. In the entire country it must amount, literally, to hundreds of millions.

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## CYCLING IN SPAIN.

Beauty Spots on the Spanish Plains and Sierras.

Truly, the old chroniclers of Spain, Irving, Hawthorne, Gautier, who have traversed its dusty highways with the diligence and crossed its sierras on mule back, saw its people and nature to much better purpose than modern railway travelers possibly can. Yet, with all they have to say of art, architecture and other things, they say very little of the beauty of the country. The savings bank men are the latest to complain. They say that the wheels are responsible for a falling off in deposits of many millions.

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Such a motif comes suddenly and is evanescent, like a gorgeous bird upon a leafless tree; a life of the wings, and the bird has flown, leaving the unsightly tree. So, on a beauty spot, even if we stop to memorize it with the eye, has but a fleeting charm, and again we roll on over the monotone of plain. But we have had it, and it has made the day joyous.—Lippincott's.

## Making Negroes White.

A well-known scientist, who has been studying the skins of negroes and whites, declares that by the proper application of electricity a black man may soon be turned white. "The color of the negro," he says, "is due to a carbon pigment underlying the epidermis, and can be so transformed by electricity as to leave the subject with a fair complexion. This will be done by the decomposition of the melanin of the skin. I only remain to find a practical method for applying the electricity to be able to wipe out the color line for all time."

## A Census of Horses.

A few years ago careful estimates were made as to the number of horses in the world. It was learned that there were over 65,000,000, divided as follows: In Europe, 37,000,000; Asia, 4,500,000; Africa, 1,000,000; America, 25,000,000; and Australia, 2,000,000.

## Near the Danger Line.

"The most curious thing in the world," began Dixie.

"Hush!" hoarsely whispered the horrid Jenkins, with a gesture toward the door. "He is in the next room."—Boston Traveler.

—How funny a little man with a big beard looks.

## JENNIE KNEW RUTH'S HAT.

That is How the Girls Came Unseen, exactly to Meet.

Had they been men they would not have met. But as they were girls, they did meet, and had a just too lovely time, hugging, kissing, and telling each other what they had seen since their last parting, so joyfully in America.

Ruth said Wednesday morning New York for Antwerp on the Westernland, and Jennie went out for Liverpool on a Cunard the following Tuesday. Ruth went with a party whose itinerary was fixed, and Jennie with relatives, who had no definite plans. So it was doubtful when and where they would encounter each other in Europe or wherever they would meet at all. Ruth and Jennie had known a friendship while at school in Northampton, which seemed to grow stronger as time passed, and which, it is pleasant to relate, never was firmer than it is to-day. As Ruth was not coming home, or having as few whippersnappers to her mother and heart, might come home never, the girls vowed that they just would meet somehow on the other side.

Some months passed and Ruth's party had "done" the Rhine, Berlin, Vienna, Rome, and intermediate points of interest, and was going to Paris and London by way of Switzerland. It was late at night when the party reached a little inn in view of the Maternhorn, the objective point of their next day's efforts. Its inmates were tired, but they were even more hungry than weary. So they ordered supper, and Ruth removing her hat upon entering the dining-room, placed it upon a receptacle near the door, and gave her attention to what the bustling Swiss waitress had laid out for them upon the table. Little did she know that that simple act of removing her hat was soon to mean.

The wearied travelers, prosaically discussing their meal, were startled by a shriek of incredulous delight from the hallway, and into the dining-room rushed the apparition of Jennie, her face ablaze with the wonder and delight of it all. Ruth's answering cry of joy was instantly smothered with kisses. The two girls for the moment forgot place, circumstance and conventionality. It is doubtful if ever since this world began there was poured forth in so short a time so many "Did you ever," and "No, I never," when one considers the number of interruptions for the indispensable hugs and kisses.

When reason had resumed her calm sway and the girls and their mothers were together in the privacy of their rooms, Jennie told how she, becoming thirsty, had taken a pitcher and sallied forth in search of water. From the hallway came Ruth's hat, which she instantly recognized it, for she was with Ruth in New York when it was chosen, and the two had taken counsel together as to its trimming. And then the fact came out that it had been the intention of Jennie to tell her friends to leave the inn early the next morning, long before Ruth and her party would have arisen. But for that blessed hat the girls would have spent the night under the same roof, unconscious of their proximity, and with each heart longing for the other's presence.

Had they been men, you see, they would not have met. For what man under like circumstances, would have known another man's hat?—N. Y. Times.

## SHE WAS DISAPPOINTED.

Her Husband's College Chum Could Not Appreciate Baby's Wit.

Mr. Potter's old college chum had made an evening call on him for the first time since the former's marriage, and had gone away again.

"What about Mrs. Potter," said the Mr. Robinson you told me about I can't say that I agree with you."

"Why, you often told me that he had the greatest sense of humor of anybody that you had ever known."

"Well, hasn't he?"

"Not a bit," said Mr. Potter, decidedly. "Not a bit." He has no sense of humor whatever. You know how delightfully funny and comic and bright and humorous and witty baby is. You don't you? Well, your friend never appreciated a word of my conversation to-night! That's a fact! When baby was brought in and she said 'Boo,' just as sweet and bright, Mr. Robinson merely looked at her as if she were like any ordinary baby, and he did not even look around when baby said 'Bah bah goo'—just like that. Oh, you have no idea how cunning she was!

"I held her in my arms, and when she twined around and pulled Mr. Robinson's eyes off in the cunning manner imaginable, and said 'Er-r-r-r,' I thought I should have died with laughter. She positively is the brightest and wittiest baby in the whole wide world, without any exception whatever. Now, isn't she? But, indeed, if you will believe every word of what she said was absolutely lost to that dull Mr. Robinson. Sense of humor! Well—"

Mrs. Potter's disdain choked her utterance.—N. Y. Journal.

## BREVITIES OF FUN.

—Last Child (to the policeman): "Please, sir, have you seen a man without a little boy? 'Cause if you see it, it's little boy."—Fit-Litt.

"George, I fear you are carrying me just because you would like to be a fortune." "No, no, precisely. I'd marry you just to see the end of it—any other friend had left it to you."—Fit-Bits.

—Fitting: "The lady over yonder tried to get me to work for a cent." Second Tinner: "Maybe she took you for one of those peans in the slot machines."—Yonkers Statesman.

—Impecunious Court (looking at the portraits of his ancestors): "Lucky fellows, you old robber barons! You only took the cash of the money bags. We have to take their daughters, too."—Fliegende Blätter.

—One Second Before the Fight—O'Hara: "That's a dandy reel you got there, old man. I'll take a little spin on it some day. By the way, what kind of a wheel do you think I ought to ride?" Marrow: "One of your own."—Brooklyn Life.

—A Game Law in Itself.—Gobong: "I don't think I'll do quite a little shooting this summer. I wonder what the close season is?" Buckshot: "Well, in your case, old man, I fancy if you applied to the legislature they'd throw the whole year open to you."—Truth.

—Sensational Courtesy.—Senator Silver: "Does the gentleman mean to say that I lie?" Senator Pence: "The gentleman has too much regard for the courtesies of the chamber to utter the sentiment so aptly expressed by his learned friend." Philadelphia North American.

## MONEY OUT OF DATE.

Some Coins Authorized a Century Ago Not Now in Use.

Of the 23 coins authorized by the government of the United States for use as money since 1792, 11 have been found to be undesirable. Two of the 11 were gold pieces, four were silver, and five were nickel, bronze and copper. The coinage of one-dollar gold pieces was authorized by congress on March 3, 1849, and discontinued in September, 1864. Of three-dollar gold pieces there were \$3,619,376 coined under the act of February 21, 1853, the coinage being stopped in 1860.

Trade dollars of silver were authorized in February, 1873; their coinage was limited to export demand by joint resolution July 22, 1876, and the production was prohibited by act of March 3, 1887; the total amount coined was \$3,965,924. The silver 20-cent piece was ordered in 1875 and discontinued in 1891, after \$271,000 had been turned out by the mints. One of the oldest of American coins is the silver half dime, which dates from 1792. Up to February 12, 1873, when its coinage was discontinued, \$4,880,216.40 of these half dimes were produced. The three-cent piece of silver was authorized in March, 1851, and discontinued in 1873, the total coinage amounting to \$1,382,087.21.

The old copper cent began its career in 1792 and ended it by legislative prohibition in February, 1857. Twice its weight was reduced, the first time from 264 to 268 grains, and the second time to 168 grains. The total amount coined was \$1,363,687.44. As far as the mint records show, the three-cent nickel piece dated from 1865 to 1890, the total production being \$941,349.48. In 1864 a two-cent bronze coin was authorized, but it was discontinued in February, 1873, after a coinage of \$312,000. Of the small nickel cents which were substituted for the large copper in 1857, only \$2,007,720 were minted up to the time of their discontinuance, in April, 1864. There were \$39,926.11 copper half cents coined from 1792 to 1856, inclusive. These coins at first weighed 132 grains, then 104 grains, and finally 84 grains.—N. Y. Times.

## A Human Distinction.

Man is the only animal that has a real nose or chin. Horses have faces that are all nose, swine have snouts, and elephants trunks; lions have snarling organs, but none of them anything that can be separated from the face, and called a nose. It is even more true of the chin, which is particularly human.

## Room Enough for All.

A mathematical genius has figured out that if the handed surface of the earth were divided equally among its inhabitants each person would get a plot of 234 acres. Yet most of us get only a 622.—Denver Times-Sun.

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### THE NIGHTINGALE.

His Song is a Whole Orchestra of Bird Music.

The nightingale does not sing everywhere; yet it is as great a mistake to consider the bird shy as it is to consider its song is chiefly reserved for the night. It will sing continually from one of the oaks bordering the wayside while the village folk pass and repass. The village couples may rest upon the foot-still or linger to listen beneath the very tree on which the bird is stationed. Still the full burden of melody goes on unheeded, without pause or intermission. And what a glorious outburst it is! What a perfect cascade of trills and shakes and semiquavers! Suddenly it is pierced by a single note that shivers in the ear with the sharpness of a life. Immediately after comes the wondrous warble-bubble, to be followed by a delicious warble long drawn out and soft as could be breathed from the richest flute. Another prolonged trill and then a far-off sound that almost seems to come from another songster half a mile away, serves to throw into relief the passionate tremolo issuing from the same tiny throat; and all the time the wings are quivering with excitement, and the whole copious seems to vibrate. The song is, indeed, a whole orchestra of bird music. Expressive of every shade of ecstasy, we are at times startled by a succession of deep, plaintive tones that thrill like sob. No wonder the nightingale's singing season is brief—six weeks only of the entire year. Nay, it is doubtful whether any individual bird sings for so long a period. The redwing, another fine singer, is a similar instance of the limited period of song. Its voice in this country is confined to two notes, and these by no means musical. Yet the redwing is the nightingale of Norway, to which land he returns for breeding purposes each successive April. So with our nightingale. From the day the eggs are hatched he becomes gradually silent, until of the marvelous voice that stirred a mile of woodland, naught is heard save a dismal croak hardly to be distinguished from the hoarse cry of the bull-roar—St. James' Gazette.

### A PLUCKY MINISTER.

Stories Told of Sir John Drummond May.

Sir John Drummond May was a fine horseman, and on one occasion, having been to interview the Moroccan foreign minister at El Arish, 60 miles from Tangier, he desired to catch the outgoing steamer which left next morning. He had arranged that four relays of horses should be in readiness for his return. On obtaining his reply he rode off. His escort, though fully provided by the governor of El Arish, were early in the race left behind, they declared that Sir John, after outracing them, "spread large wings and flew away." He wore a loose cape. On arriving at the town of Azila, half way to Tangier, he discovered his relay was locked up in the stable, and summoning some loafers, he battered in the door, obtained his mount, and rode on till he came up to his own pony. On reaching the river he jumped his pony into the ferryboat and out again on the opposite side, and finally reached Tangier, having ridden the distance in five hours.

On another occasion, when out with his children, a fanatic attacked him and one of his children, and Sir John struck the man with the cane he carried such a blow as stretched him seemingly lifeless on the ground, only vouchsafing the remark: "Take away the corpse." The crowd drew back, and the bigoted "pilgrim" was taken to the hospital. So severe was the cut given by the cane—a present from Sir Walter Scott to Sir John's father—that he told that the balsa sent to inquire the nature of the weapon which had caused so dangerous wound. The companions of the fanatic interceded for him, and Sir John, only too ready to listen to them, had his assailant spared the bastinado.—London Spectator.

### The Largest Lobster.

The New York Aquarium has become the possessor of "the largest lobster the world." It weighs 314 pounds, and measures three feet four inches from the tip of its tail to the end of its left claw, which is two feet long and nine inches wide. The body has a circumference of nearly two feet, while the antennae are 18 inches long and the legs about 12 inches. It is estimated that this specimen is not less than 40 years old.

### Sheep in New South Wales.

In the year 1788 there were only 29 head of sheep in New South Wales, but at the beginning of this century the number had increased to 2,000,000 and now the stock has reached 60,000,000. Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania together possess about 130,000,000 sheep, which is more than four times the number in the whole of Europe.

—We don't care whether hot lemonade is good as medicine or not, it is so pleasant to take.

### MAN'S FIRST APPEARANCE

Early Traces Found in the Rocks of Human Existence.

A question of more than scientific interest, the date of man's first appearance upon the earth, is discussed by Mr. E. J. Huxley in an address to the Geologists' association, which has just been published. That the human race is much older than was supposed half a century ago is universally admitted. The men who fashioned the tools of weapons of rudely chipped flint that we find in caves or in river gravels, and hunted the mammoth and the reindeer in some parts of England, must have arrived there at a time when the climate was at least as unattractive as that of Terra del Fuego, and the great ice was coming to an end. That was long enough ago; how long the more cautious students of the borderland between archaeology and geology decline to express in definite numbers. But of late years there has been a tendency in several quarters to carry back the first appearance of man not only to more genial intervals in the great ice age, but even to a considerably earlier period. Man undoubtedly is credited in these islands along with animals which either are extinct, like the mammoth and the woolly rhinoceros, the urus and the sabre-toothed tiger, or have now departed to distant regions, like the musk-deer, the reindeer, the lion, the bear, the hyena. On that theory, however, man would be, in a geological sense, a novus homo. Some speculators, accordingly, seek to enhance the dignity of our race by carrying back its pedigree to a more remote antiquity, and making us of the earliest rather than one of the latest genera among existing mammals. They claim to have discovered piteocene man. He must have roamed over the land, perhaps even navigated the seas, and he must have been a hunter, when those gravels which we call the crags were being deposited beneath the waves on what are now the eastern coasts of England, and at a time when the coming cold of the great ice age was only beginning to be felt. These men, some, even, who speak with a certain confidence of the piteocene man—who may have visited this region, and who, at one time, flourished in Europe in the genial climate of the miocene age. Could this be proved, we would be older than almost every living species of the larger mammals, and the contemporary of several genera which have now become entirely extinct.

The strongest case for piteocene man comes from Barmah, where chipped flints are said to have occurred at great depths in gravel; but even this is not free from suspicion, though some persons think this is carrying scepticism too far. The bones found in river deposits, probably of piteocene age, in Java are not forgotten; but as piteanthropus erectus was admittedly "the most man-like of apes or the most ape-like of men," this would prove no more than the existence of a "missing link," and would thus be adverse to the very appearance of the genuine man, which, indeed, finds little favor with consistent evolutionists. The upshot of Mr. Newton's clear and scorching criticism is a verdict of "not proven." The conclusion which will be generally drawn is that there are men of science who can be as credulous as the rest of the world.—London Standard.

### HOW TO LIVE LONG.

Lives Upon Which a Healthy Life is

Fix deeply in mind the grand truth that life power rules the body, and that it alone can cure disease. Life power lives in air, water and food only; all else is hurtful. Make cleanliness your motto and guard against filth in both house and ground.

Few starve for food, but many for air. Breathe deeply a hundred times daily. Wear no tight clothing. Above all, ventilate your sleeping-room.

Beware of flattery. If the appetite is not fast only eat nothing. Use no guilty condiments, but live chiefly on natural grains, vegetables and fruits. Never ask your stomach to chew your food—employ your teeth. Adorn your table not only with viands, but with flowers and smiles and kindly words.

Deformity is not awkwardness only, but danger. A high chest will give freedom to breathing and digestion and help to cure many diseases.

Thick blood causes colds and coughs. Thin blood causes colds and coughs. Keep the lungs active by deep breathing, the skin by baths and friction, the kidneys by draughts of warm water, the bowels by correct eating and the blood will be pure.

Spend part of each day in manual work, part in study, and part in good deeds to men.—N. Y. Ledger.

### Lake City Gaiety.

"We gave Jack a surprise party in his bachelor apartment." "Was it a success?" "Yes; he got wind of it and wasn't there."—Chicago Record.

### BEAR WEARS BANDS

The Most Impressing Member of the Brute Family.

The sloth bear of India is one of the most rare and peculiar animals in the world. It has nails four inches long, and thick, coarse hair six or seven inches long all over its body.

It is an interesting question to consider whether the sloth bear is fortunate or not. Philologists will find much profit in the study of it. The construction of his feet is such that he can move over the ground with extreme difficulty, and very seldom finds himself there except as the result of an accident. His knowledge of the world is therefore very limited. He spends his entire life in a few trees, where he is



INDIAN SLOTH BEAR.

(He is Not as Lazy as He Looks.)

Thoroughly at home and generally happy. When up his tree the sloth bear is not quite as lazy as his name would indicate. He can move with considerable agility when in the pursuit of a meal or avoiding danger. His powerful, bowed arms and legs and his paws enable him to move with ease up the broadest and smoothest tree trunks. He can sleep hanging by all four feet from the branch of a tree. He loves to sit on a stout branch with all the members of his family gathered about him.

This animal belongs properly to the bear family, and only resembles the sloth in his tree-climbing habits. Like all the smaller bears, he appears to be a good-natured and to have some sense of humor. He has funny little ways of pinching his friends' nails and tickling them in the ribs.

His food consists principally of nuts, fruits and insects. He considers himself fortunate if he occasionally discovers a stock of wild honey.

In personal appearance the sloth bear is decidedly unimpressive. His long, coarse, unkempt hair makes him look somewhat like Weary Walker, but, as we have seen, he is far removed from that species.

The sloth bear is found in parts of northern India, and is very rare. The specimen from which the accompanying illustration was made is in the Berlin zoological garden.

### MOTHER BICKERDYKE.

Known Among the Veterans as the Angel of Battlefield.

July 19 has been set apart by the Kansas department of the Grand Army of the Republic as Mother Bickerdyke's day.

At the old soldiers who campaigned with Grant and marched with Sherman to the sea remember Mother Bickerdyke, and will be interested to know that she is still living at the home of her son, in Russell, Kan., 80 years old, but still active and eager to learn of the fortunes that come to her "boys," as she still calls the gray-haired men who were the brave lads of the early '50's.

Among the great number of nurses who devoted themselves to the care of the sick and wounded during the civil war, the name of Mother Bickerdyke is one of the most prominent. Others were as fearless and untiring as she, but she possessed a splendid will, a executive ability which carried her along over every difficulty.



MARY ANN BICKERDYKE.

(Popularly Known as the "Angel of Battlefield.")

and made it possible for her to do more for the rank and file than she could have done had she been, like others, hedged about by the rules of officers. When she made and mended her plans she found a way to execute them and field surgeons and lineal allies were astonished at her generalship.

It is in memory of what she did and what she suffered during those dreadful years that the poets comprising the Kansas military history. Have arranged to have suitable exercises in honor of her birthday, and to perpetuate her name by celebrating July 19 in future years by causing to be tributed to her sacrifices and services.

Foreigners in Massachusetts. Manufacturing has tempted foreigners to settle in Massachusetts. Constantly they are coming in such an extent that half the population is composed of immigrants and their children.

### Juryman and Witness.

The supreme court of Mississippi has decided that a citizen may be a juror and a witness at the same time.



FOUND DEAD.

Why did he do it? He had everything to live for—happy home, wife, friends; but he shot himself through the heart. Why?

He could have given a good reason himself. But everything looked gloomy to him. He was in a gloomy frame of mind. It was the way he looked at life that day. He had been living in too much of a hurry, rushing and driving at business, hurrying through his meals, cutting short his sleep. His nerves got on edge, his stomach and liver got out of order; he grew dyspeptic and melancholy.

When the digestion is out of order there is little use trying to look on the bright side of things. Practically there is no bright side. This is a dangerous condition to get into. It is easy to get into and mighty hard to get out of, unless you go about it in the right way.

There is a remedy that has pulled thousands of people right out of this depth of despair. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It acts directly upon the stomach and liver. It restores their natural capacity to nourish and purify the system. It purges away bilious poisons, feeds the nerve-centers with blood, restores the blood, and drives out the "blue devil" of melancholy and nervousness.

Dr. Wm. N. 1000 O Street, Sacramento, Cal., writes: "During the last five years I have been doctoring with as many as six different doctors here and in San Francisco for diseased stomach, but none of the doctors gave me even temporary relief. Two years ago I completely collapsed and had to give up all my work. I had many times that I would like to leave this world. I have taken fourteen bottles of the Golden Medical Discovery and four little visits of Pleasant Pellets, and I am entirely well of all stomach trouble. Can sleep as soundly at night, and am now ready to go to work again."

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## HERE AND THERE

—Grape bags for sale at this office. Corn is selling at \$2.50 per barrel on the local market.

—When in pain use Sloan's liniment and kill it. Little by Elgin.

Herndon, the son of Mr. Bailey Waller, is quite sick with pneumonia.

—Buy your grape bags of us and save money.

Quite a large crowd from the city spent Sunday most pleasantly at Cerulean.

—Leave your work at Hill's Excelsior Laundry.

Deputy C. A. Brasher has about recovered from an attack of cholera morbus and is out again.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Prof. Fuqua's new school building is now under headway and will be completed and fully equipped for the opening of his school in August. The professor reports the prospects for a large attendance.—Russellville Ledger.

—A full line of Sloan's remedies on sale at Elgin's drug store.

The L. & N. railroad has made application to the United States court for an injunction against the ticket brokers of Nashville restraining them from handling nontransferable Centennial railroad tickets.

—Wanted: A good second hand buggy at Yost's harness shop.

The dates for the annual Montgomery county, Tenn., fair have been changed from the last two days in September and first two days of October to October 13, 14, 15 and 16. The meeting will be held in Clarksville.

—BIG bargain, \$4,000.00 worth of first-class city property for sale or exchange for farm or good paying hotel. Answer this office.

Good milk cows were never so scarce as now. The reason is that a tributary chiefly to the fact that hundreds of calves from three to six weeks old are shipped from this point every month to be raised in Ala. A good cow is now worth more than a horse.—Hancock Clarion.

—Webb has a full line of buggies and phaetons that must be sold. Bound to have money. Come and see.

Mr. Herbert L. McPherson is the father of one of the future belles of Hopkinsville. She is only a few days old now, but along about 1907 she will doubtless be ready to strike the "old man" for a legacy. Her name is Elizabeth.

—100,000 bushels wheat wanted at highest market price. See A. S. WHITE.

Rev. J. N. Prestridge, of Williamsburg, Ky., preached to a crowded house at the Baptist church Sunday night, to the great delight of his many friends here who had not enjoyed that pleasure for some time. Mr. Prestridge was one of the most popular and universally beloved pastors this church ever had, and never fails to fill the house when he makes a return visit.

—Hollis, of Pensacola, is still boring wells. He never fails. Satisfaction guaranteed.

—WANTED: Position as teacher by a married gentleman of 15 years experience. Best of reference given. Address, "B," care Kentuckian.

Reports from many points are to the effect that large numbers of people are preparing to take the Old Point trip Aug. 11. This outing is the most pleasant that could be taken, and the people are not slow to catch on to the fact. The diagnosis of the sleeper for the Hopkinsville crowd is now in the hands of T. E. Bartley, and those who checked berths should have their space described at once.

Officer Luke Connolly shot and killed Hook Mason, a negro ex-coviet, who resisted arrest at Paris.

—Incontinence of water during sleep stopped immediately by Dr. E. DUBOIS'S ANTI-DIBETIC. Cures children and adults alike. Price \$1 Sold by R. C. HARDWICK, Druggist, Hopkinsville, Ky.

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Mrs. John Carpenter, Perry, Ohio, says: "I took a bottle of Perry's and received great benefit from it; could feel every dose I took go to the ends of my fingers. I suffered greatly from nervous headaches and my nervous system was completely broken down. I felt so much better after I had taken one bottle that I stopped to get another, but I have begun again now. I can truly recommend Perry's as a nervous people."

Any woman who desires to become a regular patient of Dr. Hartman can do so by sending name, address, symptoms, and treatment previously employed. This is an opportunity to ailing woman should miss. Dr. Hartman has become renowned through his success in treating women's diseases. His experience in these matters is vast. Correspondence is strictly confidential. No testimonials published without written consent. Dr. Hartman relies principally upon Perry's in these cases. Send for free book Address: The Perry's Drug Manufacturing Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Visitors to Lincoln Park in Chicago will be delighted with the souvenir book of this beautiful spot now being distributed by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company. It is a magnificent publication of 96 pages full of overflowing with delicious half-ton pictures of one of Creation's most charming places of resort for citizens of the Great Republic.

No stranger visiting Chicago should be without a copy of the "Souvenir of Lincoln Park." It can only be procured by enclosing twenty-five (25) cents, in coin or postage stamps, to Geo. H. Headford, general passenger agent, 410 Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

The big fair at Eldorado, Daviess county, will be held this year on August 3.

## THE Great Slashing Sale Continues With Unabated Interest.

The Great Crowds Attest the Wonderful Money Saving Values.

.....Many new Bargains added to the general smash.....

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DEATHS

JOHNSON.—Mrs. Emma Morris Johnson, widow of Jas. J. Johnson, died at her home near Salisbury Saturday afternoon, aged about 21 years. Deceased was the only daughter of the late Esq. Henry Morris and was married to Mr. Johnson about four years ago. She leaves an infant a few days old. Mrs. Johnson was a consistent member of the Christian church. The funeral was preached Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment at Hopewell cemetery.

HARPER.—Mrs. Elizabeth Harper died at her home five miles north of the city Friday, aged 60 years. She had been in feeble health for some time, but the immediate cause of death was inflammation of the bowels. The funeral occurred Saturday and the interment took place in the family burying ground.

COLLED.

RATCHEFF.—The wife of Jas. Ratcliff died in the city Friday of gastritis, aged 45 years.

CROWEY.—Jimmy Crowey died of consumption in the city last Friday aged 30 years.

BELL.—A 3-year-old son of Albert Bell, of Durham, died of fever last Thursday.

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PERSONAL HISTORY

Misses Hattie and Dona Trainum, are at Dawson Springs.

Mrs. F. O. Wilson, of Gracely, was in the city Friday.

Miss Ethyl Wilson, of Mayfield, is the guest of Miss Eva Nash.

Mrs. O. E. Layne visited relatives in Fairview last week.

Mr. M. L. Ell and wife have returned from Cerulean.

Mrs. T. N. Petree has gone to Owensboro to visit her parents.

Mr. Thomas Grundy leaves this morning for his home in Kansas.

Mr. D. R. Carpenter, of Nashville, was here yesterday on business.

Mr. Thos. N. Petree has gone to Dawson Springs to spend the week.

Miss Francis Thompson, of Cadiz, is the pleasant guest of friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Levy have returned from a week's sojourn at Cerulean.

Mrs. H. H. Thompson, of Stuttgart, Ark., is visiting relatives near the city.

Mrs. Oscar Simpson, of Tusculum, Ala., is visiting the family of Dr. E. N. Fruit.

Prof. A. C. Kuykenall has returned from a business trip through Hopkins county.

Miss Ruth McCarroll has returned from Texas, where she attended school the past session.

Mr. J. W. Downer and Dr. R. R. Bourne visited the Tennessee Centennial Saturday.

Mrs. Lou Payne and daughter, Miss Ophelia, have returned from Dawson Springs.

Miss Jessie Torian is spending the week in Clarksville, the guest of her sister Mrs. L. J. Brondino.

Mrs. J. S. Whittinghill, of Madisonville, has returned to this city, after a visit to relatives in the country.

Mrs. E. B. Long and daughter,

## To-Day

We add to the GREAT SLASHING SALE

N. 8) Beautiful Silk and Linen Fancy Ribbon, latest style, actually worth the yard.

10 Cents.

Note the value, and the prices we are making on all ribbons is almost beyond belief.

1 Lot.

Men's fine Laundered Percie Negligee Shirts, worth 75c, and Men's fine Laundered Pileed Bosom White Shirts, slightly soiled, worth \$1.00.

39 Cents.

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Beautiful new Oxford Ties—this season's fine goods and latest styles. Blocks, ties, browns and oxbloods, worth up to \$2.70.

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New and startling Bargain developments daily.

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Fine Investment.

Do you want an investment that will pay you better than bank stock? If so buy the best farm in Christian county. Contains 667 acres of fine land, 175 acres of which is in walnut timber. Finely improved two-story dwelling, 3 barns and fine water. This land must be sold. Address Walter S. Hale, atty. at law, Hopkinsville, Ky.

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Here's a chance to read it for nothing. Do you want the semi-weekly Kentuckian delivered FREE to you for 10 weeks? If so purchase from us goods to the amount of \$5.00 (one dollar). And the paper will be delivered to your address free of charge.

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beautifully situated in charming neighborhood, will make ideal homes. For sale or rent by WALTER F. GARNETT & CO., HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by R. H. Talley, one light bay filly about four years old, about fifteen hands high, black mane and tail. No other marks perceptible. Her actual name was taken up by R. H. Talley on the 13th day of June, 1897, and appraised at \$30.

Given under my hand this 21st day of June, 1897.

W. L. PARKER, J. P. C. C.

Oil in Christian County.

I have in my hands for sale a fine farm of 667 acres, on which there are sure signs of petroleum. There is a well on the farm 95 feet deep, and in the Spring of the year, the water is so strong with kerosene that the stock will not drink it. This farm must be sold. If you want to get rich write or call on W. S. Hale, atty., Hopkinsville, Ky.

Apply at Once.

If you wish to secure enrollment as a free student in the Mail Department of the American Business College, Omaha, Neb., apply for a scholarship at once. The offer of free course by mail will be open for a limited time only.

Having one.

J. T. Hall, city scavenger can be reached by telephone at any time Call No. 82.

Attention.

Your attention is directed to the advertisement of the American Business College of Omaha, Nebraska. They offered to give a thorough course of instruction in Book-keeping and Commercial Arithmetic by mail free of tuition for advertising purposes. This shows that they have faith in their ability. Those of our readers who wish to secure a good business education will do well to investigate the matter and profit by it.

## Throwing It Away.

It's the same thing—if you pay too much money for the goods you buy—or buy from the houses who advertise to give you something for nothing. Of course the money is thrown away—It's a quiet and easy way to empty your purse. But is it business? Isn't it a better plan to save a little here and there on your purchases, having a reserved fund in your purse.

A strong feature of our business—and we insist upon its being carried out to the letter, is that every item leaving our store must be of the right quality and at

The Lowest Possible Price.

Quality amounts to little unless the price be fair. Low prices are not bargains unless quality is there. We combine them. Rejoice and buy. Perfection in style and assortment. Satisfaction in quality and price. These are yours if you come to see us during our

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We have put a price on all our goods that will move them out.

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New and Elegant Funeral Car for the Undertaking Department. Dick Everett, a Practical Undertaker of 20 years experience, has charge of this branch of our business.

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White Lead, Linseed Oil and Turpentine, and family paints.

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J. O. COOK.

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WAL L. N. DEPOT.

Summer Excursion Rates.

Commencing June 15th, and continuing until Sept. 30th, the Ohio Valley Railway will sell tickets at following rates:

Cerulean Springs and return 55c. Dawson Springs and return \$2.00. Crittenden Springs and return \$3.25. Return limit 40 days from date of sale.

Rate to Crittenden includes transfer for passengers between depot and Crittenden Springs. E. M. Shewmon, Agent.

Forty-five bombing pigeons have been released at New Orleans to fly to Philadelphia.